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Bill No. 260-38(COR)

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1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that
3 members of the United States Armed Forces make the ultimate sacrifice in service
4 to our nation and community. The loss of a parent who served in the armed forces
5 has a profound and lasting impact on their children, who experience the same grief,
6 sacrifice, and sense of loss as surviving spouses. Children of fallen service members
7 deserve meaningful recognition of their parent's service and sacrifice and should be
8 afforded the opportunity to honor their loved one's memory. This Act extends
9 eligibility for Gold Star License Plates to include children of fallen service members,
10 acknowledging that the loss of a parent in military service carries a lifelong impact
11 deserving of equal recognition.

12 **Section 2.** § 7120.3(b) of Chapter 7, Title 16, Guam Code Annotated, is
13 hereby *amended* to read as follows:

1 “(b) Eligibility for Issuance. Gold Star License Plates shall only be
2 issued to parents, inclusive of mother, father, stepmother, stepfather, mother
3 through adoption, father through adoption, and foster parents who stood in
4 loco parentis, ~~and~~ widows and widowers, and children, of members of the
5 armed services:

6 **Section 3. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any
7 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or inorganic, such invalidity shall not
8 affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect without
9 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
10 severable.

11 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Act shall become effective upon enactment.